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James Eckford Lauder - Portrait of Agnes Brown Paterson and Isabella Brown Paterson, oil on canvas, signed and dated 1849 recto, labels verso, 90m x 69.5m, within a gilt composition frame of wide section, with floral strapwork and corner crestings. Provenance: Christie's, 'British, Victorian and Scottish Pictures', 4th March 2004, lot no. 18; The Fine Art Society, stock no. 746; Agnes Brown Paterson. Exhibited: probably the work exhibited under the title 'Lady and Child', Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh, 1889, cat no. 1526.

Estimate: £1,000 - £2,000

Condition Report

33. Relined, cleaned and restored. UV examination highlights overpainting throughout, including to the mother's face, the child's leg, the hands, and elsewhere. Some minor paint separation and craquelure. Varnish has dulled and is inconsistent, particularly around the areas of restoration. Some subsequent surface dirt. Frame with old restoration, particularly to corners, and these areas repainted 'gilt'.

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